- (b) 30 % to 10 % by weight of a shell grafted onto the said core composed of a polymer of an-alkyl methacrylate, the alkyl group of which has a carbon number ranging from 1 to 4, or alternatively of a statistical copolymer of an alkyl methacrylate, the alkyl group of which has a carbon number ranging from 1 to 4, and of an alkyl acrylate, the alkyl group of which has a carbon number ranging from 1 to 8, containing a molar amount of alkyl acrylate ranging from 5 % to 40 %, or alternatively composed of a styrene-acrylonitrile copolymer.
- 70. A thermoplastic polymer composition according to claim 69, wherein the cross-linked elastomeric core is composed of a polyorganosiloxane. --

## REMARKS

The purpose of this Second Supplemental Amendment is to provide a claim which is supported by page 9, lines 18-21 of the specification, in particular, wherein the cross-linked elastomeric core can be composed of either a polyorganosiloxane or a copolymer of an nalkyl acrylate with the provision that when the cross-linked elastomeric core is composed of a polyorganosiloxane said polyorganosiloxane amounts to no more than 40% by weight of said cross-linked elastomeric core.

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